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PATENT
Docket No. 220.00040101

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Eric T. Kool) Group Art Unit: 1623
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Serial No.: 09/483,337) Examiner: L. E. Crane
Confirmation No.: 8254)
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Filed: January 14, 2000)
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For: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR NONENZYMATIC LIGATION OF
OLIGONUCLEOTIDES AND DETECTION OF GENETIC
POLYMORPHISMS

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Mail Stop Amendment
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 14, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on the page entitled "Amendments to the Claims."

Remarks begin on the page entitled "Remarks."